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TEMPERANCE LECTURE IN THE WEST END.
John F. Hoy, Esq., will deliver a temperance lecture, at Skaste' Hell, on the corner of Eighth and Freeman, to-morrow evening.

OIL PAINTINGS .- The sale of splendid Paint ings will be continued this evening at seven o'clock, in Pike's Opera Building. A number of fine pictures remain to be sold, and will be on exhibition during the day.

Unraid Lerrans.—The following is a list of letters detained for non-payment of postage at the Postoffice, in this city, December 28: Merchants' Gargling Oil Company, Lockport, N. Y. Herman Creutz, Philadelphia, Penn.

PROTECTION.—The perfect water-proof boots made by J. H. Deters are proof against cold and water. Try them. He has also some French morning slippers, suitable for New Year presents. Call at 53 West Fourth-street.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS-For the Penny Press, by Henry Ware, Optician, No. 7 West Fourth-street, December 28. Barometer. ......29.51 ......29.55 .......29.56 Therm

TERPSICHOREAN.-The Iron Moulders' Asso ciation give their second annual soirce densente at National Hall this evening. The arrangements have been carefully made, and the whole affair will doubtless prove superior to any former effort on their part.

COMMITTED TO JAIL POR PRITY LARGENY. Justice Giffin, of Sycamore Township, day be-fore yesterday, in default of \$100 bail, com-mitted a man named Frederick Hansold to the County Jail, who had been deemed guilty of stealing a quantity of cord wood from a farmer named D. A. Black.

PROCREDINGS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROOREDINGS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. At the regular session of the County Commissioners, held yesterday morning, orders were passed amounting in the aggregate to \$852 05, of which \$423 were paid to the Volksfreund for printing the delinquent list, and \$294 to M. V. Hess for gravel for the Union Bridge. Apart from this no business of importance was transacted.

ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO KILL .-- A MAD named John Arning was committed to the County Jail day before yesterday, by Justice Crane, of Storrs Township, in default of bail to the amount of \$300, for his appearance before the next term of the Court of Common Please, to answer a charge of assault with intent to kill, which was preferred against him by a man named Gregor Black.

A DENTIST MISTAKEN FOR A DOCTOR .lapsus pennes caused us to say in our issue of yesterday, that the students of the Ohio Medical College presented the Dean of that institution, Albany Packham, with a splendid gold watch and chain. Mr. P. is demonstrator at the Ohio Dental College, and the mystical D. M. C. caused the arror. tical D. M. C. caused the error.

A LUNATIC FOURD ASLEEP IN THE STREET. An unfortunate girl, named Alice Woodruff, was found yeaterday on Plum-street, near Third, by Officer Higgins, who conveyed her to the Ninth-street Station-house. It was soon discovered that she was a lunatic, and she was taken before the Probate Court, whence, after an inquest, de lunatici inquirendo, she was sent to the Lick Run Lunatic Asylum.

LECTURE BEFORE THE Y. M. M. L. ASSOCIA-Association, will be delivered this evening at Smith & Nixon's Hall, by Rev. George C. Robinson, of this city. Subject, "Every Tub on its own Bottom." The lecturer has attained considerable reputation as a pulpit orator, and this, with the quaintness of the subject, will doubtless draw a full house. doubtless draw a full house.

ARREST OF PICK-POCKETS.—For two or three nights past several industrious members of the light-fingered fraternity have been lounging about the Melodeon Hall, during the progress of the Fair for the benefit of the Sisters of Mercy, and have, in some instances, relieved persons of their porte-monnaies. Last night, Officer Mormin arrested two men who gave their names as J. P. Cox and John Smith, both of whom he detected in the act of approgave their names as J.P. Cox and John Smith, both of whom he detected in the act of appropriating the funds of others, and committed them to the Hammond-street Station-house. Both the parties were heavily armed, and Smith had upon his person a recipe for the manufacture of bogus gold and silver. They will have a hearing this morning before Judge Lowe.

DESPERATE APPRAY ON ELM-STREET-A MAN SHOT AND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED IN A STREET FIGHT.—A man named John Schlosser was seriously wounded in a street fight, day before yesterday, that occurred on Elm-street, near the canal. It appears, from what we could learn of the affair, that he became involved in a quarrel with a man, whose name we were unable to ascertain, and during the melee was shot in the left-side, the ball striking a rib and glancing around the body rather than directly

The wounded man was taken into a drug-The wounded man was taken into a drug-store on the corner of Elm and Twelfth-streets, where his wound was dressed, after which he was removed to his residence. In the excite-ment caused by the affair, the would-be mur-derer escaped, and has not been heard from since. The wound, although a serious one, is not dangerous, but it will confine him to his bed for a considerable length of time.

Polics Court.—Judge Lowe examined twenty-four cases yesterday morning, the most of which were as unimportant and uninteresting as it is possible for any to be that require the attention of a court of justice. The following are the principal ones that were disposed of:

Silvester Siginus was arrested on a charge of stealing a lot of bed-clothing, of the value of ten dollars, from a boarding-house on Culvert-street, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and be imprisoned in the County Jail, at hard labor, for a term of two months.

A fellow named Thomas Smith was charged with carrying concealed weapons, and a heavy pair of iron knuckles were found upon his person. He was sentenced to the County Jail for ten days and mulcted in a fine of \$20.

A teamstor, named Michael Coleman, was fined two dollars and costs for close driving. We should be pleased to see this ordinance stringently enforced, for every day almost we see persons compelled to wait at a crossing for five minutes, in consequence of a number of drays and wagons driven so closely together that it is almost impossible to pass.

James Donnelly, James Bowden and Matthias Hagerman were sent to City Prison for a term of ten days each, for indulging in the dignified amusement of abusing their families. John Clark received a sentence of three days in the City Prison, and Patrick Hays a term of ten days in the County Jail for similar offenses, while Prestly Fowler, who committed an assault upon his sister, was fined \$5 and costs.

Heavy Burglary of a Millinery Establishment-Two Females Stupified by Chloroform and Robbed.

Chloroform and Rebbed.

One of the most daring and successful burglaries which has taken place in this city for a long time was perpetrated, night before last, at the millinery establishment of Mrs. Jamison, No. 121 Fifth-street.

It appears that the burglars effected an entrance to the building from the rear yard, through a window, by forcing open the shutters and then breaking the window fastnings. They ransacked the store from one end to the other and carried off silk goods, ribbons, and other articles to the value of more than \$2,000.

They then proceeded to the chamber over the store, occupied by Mrs. Jamison and her daughter, to both of whom they administered

daughter, to both of whom they administered chloroform in quantities so large as to stupify them to such an extent that at a late hour last evening they had not thoroughly recovered from the death-like stupor into which they had been thrown.

Unfortunately, Mrs. J. had drawn the sum of \$1,400 from the bank the day previous, intending to make use of it, yesterday, for business purposes, and this upon retiring she had placed beneath her pillow. The scoundrels, after securing both the money and the goods, left the house with their booty—their victims, so noiseless had they completed their work, all the time unconscious of their necturnal visitation.

No clue has, as yet, been obtained as to who were the perpetrators of this daring affair, and as they seem to have left no trace which would were the perpetrators of this daring affair, and as they seem to have left no trace which would lead to their discovery, it is quite likely they may go unwhipt of justice. Mrs. Jamison and her daughter both suffer still from the effects of the oft times death-producing drug, and it is possible that the result may yet prove more disastrous than even the burglars intended; for their ultimate and entire recovery would appear almost a miracle of the medicinal art.

Annual Elections of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Many of the Lodges of the I. O. O. F., in this city, hold their annual elections during the present week; in some of them the selections have already taken place. We herewith publish the result in as many instances as we have been able to ascertain, and will endeavor to render our report as full and complete as possible; and as the members of the different lodges may assist us in this, we will be under an obligation to any who may furnish us with a list of their newly elected officers at as early an hour as convenient. cers at as early an hour as convenient.

The following were elected on Monday night

last:
MAGNOLIA LODGE, No. 88.—W. L. Thompson,
N. G.; A. Paddack, V. G.; Charles Stevens,
R. S.; J. H. [Aydelott, P. S.; G. D. Winchell,
Tressurer. H. N. Bird, Wm. Chidsey and R. Treasurer. H. N. Bird, Wm. Chidsey and R. K. Cox, jr., Trustees.
Fidelity Lodge No. 71.—A. W. Osler, N.

G.; W. D. Dalton, V. G.; J. A. Remiey, R. S.; W. S. Bell, P. S.; J. H. Kolker, Treasurer; James Ashman, J. Steptoe, G. Strickler, Trus-

VULCAN LODGE No. 178.—S. W. Davis, N.
G.; Joseph Sharpe, V. G.; W. O. Williams, R.
S.; Lewis Handman, P.S.; J. Gominger, Treasurer; A. Handman, P. T.

OHARTER OAK ENCAMPMENT NO. 77,—Wm.
White, C. P.; A. Handman, H. P.; John Peterson, S. W.; Lewis Handman, J. W.; W. H.
Barnes, Scribe; Jacob Gominger, Treasurer.
The following were elected on Tuesday:
WM. PENN LODGE NO. 56.—William A. Dick,
N. G.; Aug. Donnelly, V. G.; William Cotty,
R. S.; David Baker, P. S.; Joseph S. Ross,
Treasurer; M. King, E. G. Megrue, L. A. Harris, Trustees; E. G. Megrue, Property Trustee.

WEERLY REPORT OF THE CITY AUDITOR. The City Auditor last night reported to the City Council that during the week ending on yesterday, orders had been drawn on the City

Treasury for the following sums: Watch Fund.
Superior Court Fund.
Fire Department Fund.
Police Court and City Prison Fund.
General Fund. \$ 147 65 323 00 841 69 285 41 4,889 15

Total. \$6,486 90 There are now remaining in the City Treasury the following sums:

General Fund.
Watch Fund.
Interest Fund.
Superior Court Fund
Fire Department Fund.
Light Fund.
Work-house Fund. 

SPLENDID COMPLIMENT TO A RETIRING MANA-GER.—Mr. Charles Barras, as our readers are already aware, retired from the management of the Opera-house on Saturday last. As a parting memorial of the estimation in which he was held by the proprietor of this magnificent temple, he was made the recipient of a handsome gift, accompanied by the following

CINCINATI, CHRISTMAS, 1859.

MY DEAR BARRAS:—Please accept the inclosed check for two hundred and fifty dollars, as a Christmas gift, and as a token of my affectionate regard and esteem for you as a gentleman and friend; and permit me to say that our relation during your management of the Opera house has been a pleasant and satisfactory one to me.

Your resignation may be to your interest—I trust it may prove so. You have had a difficult task to perform, and not, I am afraid, as agreeable to you as I wished it to be, which I carnestly regret.

Wishing you every happiness and all prosperity, and begging you will accept the assurance of my regard,

I remain, your friend, SAM'L N. PIKE,

DIBASTROUS AND EXPENSIVE RUNAWAY .- A

couple of horses attached to a carriage ran away from Wernecke's stable; in Court-street, yesterday afternoon, and dashed up Mainstreet at a fearful pace. When near the canal they ran against a farmer's wagon, and when opposite Jefferson Hall, they completely demolished the vehicle to which they were attached. moissed the venicle to which they were attached by running against a milk-wagen, the driver of which only escaped death by leaping to the ground, by which feat he broke his leg and otherwise injured himself severely. The horses were finally stopped and returned to the stable, but the mischief they did during their temporary madness, will involve a loss of nearly \$500, beside in all probability maining a man for life.

ARREST OF AN ALLEGED HALL THIEF .- A ARREST OF AN ALLEGED HALL THEF.—A fellow named Lewis King was arrested yesterday evening, in the hall of a house on the corner of Third and Pike-streets, having in his possession a quantity of clothing, with which he was about making his escape. A shawl was also found upon his person, which, it is supposed, he had taken at some other establishment, and may be seen at the Hammond-street Station-house, to which place he was committed to await an examination before Judge Lowe this morning.

Soirem Dansantz.—The Independent Glee Club give their third annual soirce dansante on Friday evening at Metropelitan Hall. The supper will be served by John McDonnell in his usual excellent style, and the whole affair will doubtless reflect credit upon the management.

BATHING.—A pleasant bath is pleasant at any time, but when taken at such pleasant rooms as those of the Burnet House, it nearly approaches a luxury. It is the only place we know of where one can truly enjoy bathing. Enter from Vine-street.

READY MEALS.—The restaurant of the Burnet House, in charge of Billy Wilkinson, is now the popular resort, for the reason that his dishes are unexceptionable, and can be served at a moment's warning. Go there for a nice dish of oysters, and all kinds of game.

Orsymas. — Robert Orr, the indefatigable oyster dealer, has just received a fresh supply from the East. He is prepared to furnish them at moderate rates to all who see proper to favor him with their patronage. 23 For splendid holiday oysters go to Waggoner, 203 Western-row, above Pifth, and 58 West Sixth-street.

### AMUSEMENTS.

PIRE'S OPERA HOUSE.—The third personation of MIDBURNER NIGHT'S DRAM, at the OPERA HOUSE ATTER AND ASSESSED AND WE ARE AND ASSESSED ASSESSE

NATIONAL THEATER.—The audience at the National last sight, although intellectual and critical, was not as iarge as it should have been or as the merit of Miss Bavenport would have led us to expect. The play is one which, upon being seen, will not fail to impress the spectator as admirably adapted to show the power of the artise, for it is full of interesting and impressive situations, passion and pathos. It is in the portrayal of the fine feelings of the human heart that Miss Bavenport excels, and her exquisite finish and marvellous power of eliciting the sympathies of her audience, render and will keep her in this respect at the very head of her profession. Massalliance will be repeated this evening, probably for the last time, and we advise all who have not witnessed her impersonation of "Leonie Arnauld," not to miss the present opportunity.

Wood's Theater.—The new play entitled

WOOD'S THEATER.—The new play entitled the Onto Genes is still, in connection with the grand Oriental spectacle of Brus Brann, the attraction's twood's. Both the pleces are admirably pat upon the stage, and the audiences are fair, both in point of number and quality. The same plays will be performed this evening.

PERSONAL .- Alf. Burnett, who has just re-

FIRE THIS MORNING .- About one o'clock this morning, a fire broke out in a cooper-ahop occupied by Henry Kemper, and located on Logan-street, between Liberty and Elder. Although the entire building was destroyed by the flames, the loss will not exceed \$300, upon which, we believe, there was no insu-

PREPARE FOR A New YEAR'S FEAST.—Peter Cavagna, No. 31 West Fifth-street, is prepared to furnish the best quality of oysters to all who are desirous of luxuriating on these delicious bivalves on New Year's day. The public should extend to him a liberal patronage.

### RIVER NEWS.

More ice was in the River yesterday than on Tuesday, but as the weather is very mild there is little prospect of the Ohio being blocked up, unless a sudden cold spell come on, which would probably close navigation. The water continued to fall, and for the twenty-four hours ending last evening had declined seven or eight inches.

IBoats are still leaving for the upper ports, the Argonaut having started for Pittsurg isat evening.

Business at the levee was active yesterday, and though little freight was shipped for upper ports; it is plenty for Memphis, Nashville and New Orleans. Freight for St. Louis has fallen off materially since last week.

come from either of these streams. The rise therefore, can come from no other than the upper sizes sippi, and the Alton packets, down yesterday, report a swell of fully one foot at Alton, and a channel of fire and a half feet between Alton and St. Louis. This is good water for boating, but the channel is very crocked and much interrupted by gorges and sunken ice at various points. All the packets down yesterday, and there were four, agree that there is rising. This rise doubtless proceeds from local rive and a half feet of water, and that the river is rising. This rise doubtless proceeds from local causes—the two or three days of thawing weather, &c. The weather was very warm on Sunday and Monday; yesterday it was clear, and toward evening the wind came strong from the northeast, with every indication of growing still colder.

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ARRIVALS.—Fort Wayne, New Orleans; Emerald, do.; Tecumseh, do.; Forest Queen, Madison; Magnelia, Maysville; Bay City, St. Lonis; Gray Eagle, Pomeroy; Vigo, Pittaburg; Dunleith and Virginia Home, Neville; Oity of Madison, Madison; D. B. Miller, Pittaburg.

DEFARTURES.—Forest Queen, Madison; Magnelia, Maysville; Gray Eagle, Pomeroy; Superior, Louisville; Argonaut, Pittsburg; Undine, Arkansas River, Dunleith and Virginia Home, Neville.

# Monetary and Commercial,

Business in the banking quarter was still more active yesterday than on Tuesday, and the movement in the Money market continued brisk.
All financial operations are so carefully conducted that capital is made to go much further than would at first seem possible. Every corner is closely turned and every dollar made to pay for its equivalent.

25. The Imports and Exports of various articles dur ing the twenty-four hours ending yesterday noon

The following is a comparative statement of the imports of Foreign Dry Goods and General Merchandise at the port of New York for the past week, and since January 1:

Total for the week.. \$1,783,645 \$2,322,009 \$4,634,8 Previously reported 211,140,597 182,648,867 230,355,6 Since Jan. 1 .......\$212,994,242 \$14f,970,876 \$234,990,474

The imports it will be seen are more than double of the same week of last year. The increase is nearly all in Dry Goods. Yesterday's St. Louis Democratobserves:

SMITH & NIXON'S HALL.—A burlesque spera troupe, comprising both the New Orleans and Metro-politan Companies, and consisting of lighter per-formers, is announced to appear, for four nights only, at Smith & Nixon's Hall, commencing on hon-day next. This manmoth company comes here highly recommended, and we doubt not will both deserve and receive the liberal patronage of our citi-zons.

turned from a professional tour in the provinces, proposes to give us his unique entertainments in this city some time during the coming week, the time and place of which will be duly aunounced.

is pienty for Memphis, Nashville and New Orleans. Freight for St. Louis has fallen off materially since is tweek.

The weather is mild and last evening indicated rain. The rates of freight are as follows:
Pittsburg Cotton, 75c.; Molasses, 75c.; Whisky 9c.; Flour, 30c.; Pork and Lard, 48c.; Pound Freights, 15c, 9cr 100 lbs.
Nashville—Whisky, per brl., 40c.; Ale, 30c.; Pound Freights, 15c, 30c, per 100 lbs.
St. Louis—Heavy Pound Freights, 25c. per 100 lbs.; Whisky and Oil, 65c. per brl.; Stoves, 25c.; Ale, 50c. per brl.
New Orleans—Whisky and Oil 90c; Flour, 50c.; Pork 75c.; Bacon, Butter, Cheese, &c.; 33c. per 100 lbs.; Keg Lard, 20c; Empty Barrels, 25c., Horses, 310 per head; Pound Freights, 30c.

Yesterday's St. Louis Republican remarks:

"There is a heavy gorge of ice reaching from some unknown point above down to the foot of Carr-street, and extending nerrly across to the Illinois shore. This heavy mass of ice remained that last evening at dark, and if it breaks loose will de more or less damage to the boats at the leves. There is also a gorge of ice on a bar running vory nearly parallel with Bloody Island, but the forty-boats have no difficulty n passing around it.

Since Saturday evening last the river here swelled two and a half feet up to dark last evening. In the twenty-four hours ending at dark last evening, the river rose one foot at least. From welvee clock Muntil dark it swelled two inches, and may be reported as still rising slowly. This rise cannet proceed from any gorge below, as the river is doubtless open to Goose Island, about four miles above Cairo.

At last accounts the river was closed from Cairo up to Green Island. The riss in the river at this port, therefore, proceeds from a swell in one of the upper streams. The Missouri and Hilinois rivers are both tightly gorged—the one at St. Charles, and the other at the nouth, so that no considerable swell could come from either of these streams. The rise characier, as well of fully one foot at Alton, and a channel of a swell of fully one foot at A

and every dollar made to pay for its equivalent.

At the Discount-houses the offerings remained larger than could be accommodated, but they did as much of the first-class paper as they could at the regular rates—1021 per cent.

Eastern Exchange was very firm, the supply being hardly equal to the demand at % buying and % prem. selling rate.

In Gold and New Orleans Exchange no alteration has occurred. Both are in demand and scarce.

No change has occurred in Uncurrent Money.

This week will be a close one, of course, but after Wednesday next the greatest pressure, it is thought, will be over.

Flour was in better demand yesterday, without any change of consequence in the rates. Whisky was dull, and declined %c. per gallon. Grain and Grocories were steady. Holders of Provisions were firmer and less disposed to sell. Hogs were stiffer, but did not advance; 2,900 head selling at \$6.856.

were:

IMPORTS.—Flour, 2,621 brls.; Whisky, 1,029 barries;
Osrn. 1,835 bushels; Whast, 26,42 bushels; Osts, 1,779
bushels; Barley, 659 bushels; Hogs, 9,133 head—inciding 3,468 head left at Brighton Station last week;
Pork and Bacon, 9 hhds., 198 brls., 129,134 lbs.;
Sugar, 704 hhds.; Molasses, 3,499 brls.; Ooffee, 11 bags;
Apples, 63 brls.; Butter, 43 kegs; Cheese, 227 boxes;
Potatoes, 427 brls., Ealt, 371 brls.
Exports.—Flour, 786 brls.; Whisky, 1,025 brls.;
Whes., 134 bushels; Pork and Bacon, 59 hhds.; 60
flarose, 1,237 brls., 127 boxes; Sugar, 45 hhds.; Molasces, 1,375 bbls.; Coffee, 146 bags; Apples, 50 brls.;
Butter, 140 kegs; Cheese, 316 boxes; 5 alt, 50 brls.
The following is a comparative statement of the

Yesterday's St. Louis Democratobserves:

The supply of Currency is better, and prospects are that it will soon accumulate so as to be difficult for the brokers to handle it. The demand for it to buy hogs with, has in a great measure ceased, and in the purchase of Eastern Exchange 5 per cent, difference is made between it and bankable funds.

The demand for Exchange, both on the East and South is larger than the supply. Sight on the East and 15 quits firm at: per cent, for bankable funds, and 15 premium for Illinois and Wisconsin currency; indeed, no large amount could be had at 15, and as it is 1% at Chicago, the probability is it will soon go higher both here and there, as currency accumulates.

The Democrat of same date says of Hogs in that vicinity:

vicinity:

The packing season approaches its close. The number packed here does not vary far from 65,000—only some 800 in all were packed restorday. The rates gaid are as last quoted, ranging from \$5 25,66 25. Nothing soing in Provisions. A lot of country mess could have been had at \$15 75, but no sales of anything were reported. It is probable some farmers are still holding on to their Hogs, but the roads have been excellent, and prices so high as to call out most of the Hogs already—many of them before they were very fat.

ITC.
APPLES—There is a good demand, and prices are firm at our last quotations.
POTATOES—Prices are firm at \$1.50 per barrel for prime Neshannocks, on arrival, with a good demand.
CLOVER SEED—The market is dull, but prices unchanged; sales of 200 bushels fair, in sacks, at \$4.50; 65 sacks at \$4.65, and 65 barrels at \$4.70.

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NEW YORE MARKET, December 28-P. M.—Flour in the better sales of 935 barrels, at \$5 2065 25 for sure we state; \$5 4065 45 for extra State; \$5 256 54).

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New York Carrie Marker, December 28.—Beyers out to \$450 for the prime of the prime of the sales of 1,000 bales, Sugar firm. Coffee firm, but quiet at 116210, for Ho., Molasses firm at \$260 500. Tallow dull at 10560 for Comment at \$4600 for the prime of the p

New York Cattle Market, December 28.—Bosves quiet. 3,500 head were received: sales at 61/6010/sc. Sheep advanced 25/63/7/c.; 7,000 head were received. Swine firm; 20,000 head were received: sales at 5/4

PHILADELPHIA MARKET, December 28.—Flour is steady: sales of 1,000 have at \$5.50 for superfine, and \$5.75 for extra. have Flour is held at \$4.37%. Corn Meal is held at \$3.75. Wheat steady: sales of 1,000 bushels red at \$1.34@1.35. Hyo sells at 92%c. in store. Corn has declined 2c, per bushel. Oats are steady: sales of 2,000 bushels, at 1.3246c. Whisky better; sales of 500 barrels at 25%@27%c.

COVINGTON NEWS.

CITY COUNCIL—TER RETIRING COUNCILMEN.
On Thursday evening, January b, the term of the present City Council will expire by the limitation of the city charter. The members are elected for two years, one-half going out of office annually.

It is not our intention to pronounce an enconium upon the present Council, but we can not see it pass to its last resting place without best ang upon it at least a passing word. We will not pretend that, as a deliberative body it is fundless, but we are of opinion that it will compare favorably with any of its neighbors. The members have manifested a landable interest in the welfare, the honor and the integrity of the city, and have frequently given their individual credit for its benefit.

The President, Major Goodson, and who continues in office another year, has presided with dignity, and in his ruilings has exhibited a good degree of Parliamentary knowledge.

Messrs. Bloomer, Batteaby, Rose, Cambron, Mooar, Hood and Longuers representing wards in the order of their names, retire from office with the present Council, unless re-elected. All, however, except Bloomer, Cambron and Hood, are again soliciting the suffrages of the people, but with what success the poll alone will determine.

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Mr. Battesby has been so long in the Council that he may be regarded as permanently located thers. He is a man of good business tact, seldom speaking much, but does a great deal, is always prompt in attending to all business intrused to him, and endeavors to further, in all things, the interest of the city.

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Air. Bose, from the Third Ward, has, during the last year, occupied the arduous position of Chairman of the Committee on Internal improvements,—a position requiring a large amount of labor, as well as a knowledge of mechanics. So faithfully as he discharged his duties, that all his acts have been unanimously ratified by the Council. His influence in that body is most potent.

Mr. Cambron is a man of "much speaking," having a strong penchant to dilate upon every subject before the Council. He is Chairman of the Committee on Law, and, as such, has been called upon to investigate difficult questions, in which the interests of the city are concerned. When an investigation has been had before the Courts, his views have almost invariably been sustained.

Mr. Mooar, from the Fifth Ward, is a good orstor, a ready debater, a sound jurist and a good business member. He is an economist, and in favor of maintaining the credit of the city at all hazards. His efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the Council to adopt prompt and efforts to induce the council to adopt the overgent and the sale of the Covington and Lexington Railroad, are known to and appreciated by all our citizens.

Mr. Houd is a silent member, but very regular in his attendance.

Mr. Longuere speaks occasionally, and attends to the business intrusted to him with promptness. He is modest in his deportment, and never intrudes his views unless solicited.

At some fuiror time we may

THE MATERNITY OF THE RECENTLY DISCOVERED FOUNDATION—INDICTMENT OF THE MOTHER AND HER RECENTLY DISCOVERED FOUNDATION—INDICTMENT OF THE MOTHER AND HER ACCOMPLINES.—The physicians summoned to examine the body of the infant recently found at the residence of Mr. Kieth, concluded their investigation resterday. They were unanimously of opinion that it was allve and healthy at the time of birth, but whether its death was occasioned by violence or not, they were unable, satisfactorily, to determine. The legal bearing of the transaction was likewise investigated by the Grand Jury, and resulted in the discovery of the mother, an unmarried famale, named Mary Hays, who resides on Sixth-street with her mother, who is a widow. A beach-warrant was issued for the arrest of Miss Hays, her mother, and another femals, named Ann, alias Mary Powell, who halls from Cinzinnati, where she has obtained considerable notately in the Restellian profession, and who was present at the accouchment. The guilty parties have absented themselves, to avoid the officers of the law.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The following criminal of the law.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The following criminal cases were tried in the Circuit Court yesterday:
Commonwealth vs. Jcs. Newman, colored boy, for obtaining goods by false pretenses. Yerdict of guilty returned by the jury, and the culprit sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.
Commonwealth vs. J. B. Ashford, misdemeanor. The jury has not agreed upon a verdiet, at 4 P. M. and were, ceasequealty, put in custody of the Sheriff until this morning.
Commonwealth vs. Jane Brown, assult and battery. Defendant found guilty and sentenced to the County Jail for ten days.

# NEW PORT NEWS.

Masonic.—The Robert Burn Lodge, No. 183, will hereafter meet at the Masonic Hall, corner of atomsouth and Jefferson streets. The hall was dedicated some time since.

THE CONCERT AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL. celebrated artist and veteran violinist, Joseph Tosso, with other musicians, will give a concert of vocal and instrumental music, at Odd-Fellows Hall, on Friday evening music, the well-known character of Mr. T., and those who will assist him upon this occasion, is a sufficient guarantee that the entertainment will be of the first-class, and also that the hall will be crowded.

MOR BEST GROCERIES TO TO Nos, 319 and 321 Main-str FOR RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON BUTS, go to COLTER'S, del, Nos. 319 and 321 Main-street. HOR SWEET CIDER GO TO COLTER'S, doz Nos. 319 and 321 Main-str. F BEST OYSTERS, SARDINES, det. 10KLES, Sc., so to COLTER'S, Nos. 319 and 321 Main-street.

A Basy-Lovine Cay.—A lady residing in Lansingburg, N. Y., had a cat which took a violent fancy to her baby. The latter was seized with a violent attack of hooping cough a few weeks since, and the cat with her two kittens caught the disease from the child. The haby died, and the cat was for a long time inconsolable for the loss of her favorits, until at last she pined away and died of grief.

ARREST OF SEDITIOUS BOYS IN LEMAND.— Two lads, calling themselves natives of Water-ford, have been apprehended at Werford, Ireland, for singing seditious ballads, which, in anticipation of the advent of the Emperor Napoleon, called upon all "true some of Erin" to arm and follow the "brave Dr. Cahill."

A Big Toan Story.—An English paper says the gardener of the Earl of Abingdon watched a toad, the other day, strip its skin from its body, beginning at its hind legs, but not separating it from its lips—It then made a sudden pounce and swallowed the skin in an

Austrian Economy.—Austrian economy now takes note of even candle ends, for, is order to diminish the outlays for gas and candles, the employee in the finance department at Vienna will, during the winter months, work from eight till three, instead of from nine till four o'clock.

The Locemotive in India.—The women in India, at the first running of a locemotive on the new Madras Railway, made reverential salaams to it, as to a superior being! Natives had been stationed with signal-fings on the route; but, on the approach of the fearful new monster, they threw down the flags and scampered for dear life!

Mr. James Hall, of Lyonier Township, Penn., having set traps to catch crows, was vary much surprised one morning to find a wild cat ensuared instead. It measured three

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chesp Fancy Cases at the Broadway Gallery, with superior ground-plate Pictures. Life-like pictures of babies taken.

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Card Baskets, Card Receivers, Card Cases; Odor Stands, Odor Boxes, Toilet Bottles; Jewel Caskets, Jowel Boxes, Work Boxes; Writing Doaks, Portfolios, Gold Pens; Urying Bables, Speaking Dolls, China Dolls, Wax Dolls, Ladies' Purses in Leather, Wire, Velvet, Pearl, Shell; Traveling Bags, Satchels, Cabas, Dress-

AUCTION SALES A UCTION SALE.—BY JACOB GRAFF

A UCTION SALE BY S. G. HUB A. BARD, at Trade Sale-rooms, No. 21 West Fifth street, up stairs.—Books, Stationery and Diaries for 1869 at Auction.—On FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 31, at 7 o clock, will be soid, by catalogue, to close consignments, a large and valuable collection of Books, Blank Books, Miemorandums, Diaries, Stationery, ac., embracing a variety of standard works in various departments of literature, beautifully bound and illustrated, with many other articles suitable for holiday presents.

N. B.—Catalogues will be published on Friday morning, and the goods will be open for examination on Friday until 5 o clock P. M. defyb S. G. HUBBARD, Auctioneer.

A UCTION SALE.—BY JACOB GRAFF A UCTION SALE.—BY JACOB GRAFF

& 00.—Assignee's Sale of Drugs, &c.—Will be
sold at Auction on THUBSDAY MORNYNG, Dec.
c), at 10 o'clock, by order of the Probate Court, at
the store lately occupied by Smith A. Griffith, No.
51 Broadway, a general stock of Drugs, Glassware,
Shop Furniture, Soda Fountain, &c.
Torms—All sums under \$50, cash; \$50 and upward,
note at ninety days, with approved security.

NUAR W. KUMLER,
Assignee of Smith A. Griffith.

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JACOB GRAFF, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE.—BY G. BRASHEARS & OO., Sales-rooms Nos. 57 and 59
Main-street.—There will be a Catalogue Sale of
Boots and Shoes. to be sold by Auction, on THURSDAY, Dec. 29, 1839, without reserve, to close sundry
consignments, at stores 57 and 59 Main-street, Cinchmati, Ohio, by G. BRASHEARS & CO. Sale to
commence at 9% o'clock.

Terms—Cash. All goods not equal to sample to be
deducted. No allowance after three days. de2s

A UCTION SALE.—By KELLOGG & UTION SALE.—By KELLOGG & WILLIAMS—Sale-rooms 27 and 24 East Third-street.—Ustalogue Sale of Rosswood and Mahogany Veneers.—On THURSDAY AFTERNOON, Dec. 29, at 29, o'clock, 20,000 feet Bosswood Veneers, 15,000 do, Orotch Mahogany Veneers.

The attention of the trade is called to this sale. The Mahogany is long and wide crotch and curl. The Bosswood a superior article.

Torms—All sums over \$100, two to four months; under, cash. (de28) A KELLOGG, Auctioneer.

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Walnut-street, Walnut-street, CINCINNATI. The Oysters sold at this house are superior to any in this market. Prices, as usual, moderate, de2iftual J. TODD, Ag't for Hatch, Mann & Co.

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ing Cases; Meerschaum Pipes, Snuff Boxes, Cigar Cases, JOHN D. PARK, del34wTuTh Fourth and Walnut-streets.

ING, Dec. 30.—Will be sold at 9% o'clock, at No. 18 Rest Fourth-street, an invoice of Ladies' and Gen-tlemen's Furs. A general assortment of fine quality, de29

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A UCTION SALE.—BY H. S. MILES,

Sales-rooms No. 33 Main-street.—Sundries at
Auction, to close consignment.—Will sell, on
HURSDAY MORNING, Dec. 29, at 9 o'clock, \$2,000
worth of fine assorted Gold Jewelry, comprising a
large variety; three sets fine sliver-plated Tea Sets,
six pieces each.

ALSO—At 10 'clock precisely—10 cases Rip and
Oalf Boots; 40 boxes Pearl Starch; 25 do, Palm
Soap; 45 bris, Smoking Tobacco; 45 do, Oder Vinegar; 20 mats Java Coffee. Sale positive.

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